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From: Milbeck, Regina
Sent: Wed 8/12/2015 6:50:40 PM
Subject: RE: Gold King

I agree, did you see the spreadsheet from Ben on the pay cap lift? Region 6 is astronomical on the amount of people we are deploying.

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From: Ferguson, Ralph
Sent: Wednesday, August 12, 2015 1:46 PM
To: Milbeck, Regina; Spelman, John
Subject: FW: Gold King

FYI....my guess on this one would be level of work since R9 was the last one to be affected by the response.

Ralph Ferguson

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From: Brown, Cynthia
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Ralph, I just send this to Barbara Lee in Region 9. I'm pretty surprised by the difference in loaded rates each region is using. I'll discuss this more when I see you later this afternoon.

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To: Lee, Barbara; Portillos, Christine
Cc: Guria, Peter
Subject: RE: Gold King

We are currently charging all site work to the Region 6 account number.

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Payroll \$25,560/day 38 people/\$60 loaded rate

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Travel \$9,400/day 16 people/\$250/day

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Contracts

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SCI-Computer Help \$1,200

START Reg 6-\$95,000/day

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From: Lee, Barbara
Sent: Wednesday, August 12, 2015 11:32 AM
To: Portillos, Christine
Cc: Brown, Cynthia; Guria, Peter
Subject: RE: Gold King

Hi Christine,

Good talking to you this morning. Here are what we've obligated for the Gold King Response.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Payroll:

\$17k/ day - 14 people at \$150/hr loaded rate

Travel (R8 SSID):

\$23k/day - 9 people at \$250/day.

Current Obligations:

Contracts/IA (R9 SSID):

\$ 75,000 – ERRS

\$517,000 – START

\$ 70,000 – PST IA

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From: Lee, Barbara

Sent: Wednesday, August 12, 2015 8:53 AM
To: Portillos, Christine
Subject: RE: Gold King

Hi Christine,

Just left you a VM. It would be good to touch base to discuss coordination and funding issues.
Please give me a call at 415-595-8346. Thanks.

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From: Portillos, Christine
Sent: Wednesday, August 12, 2015 7:11 AM
To: Lee, Barbara
Subject: Gold King

Hello,

My name is Christine Portillos I'm the FOC here in Durango for both the Incident Command and Area Command I have a few questions so if you could please call me.

Personal Phone/Ex. 6

Christine Portillos

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